

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. A square, comprising:

a straight long arm having a first end and a second end, wherein said long arm is segmented into a plurality of sections between said first end and said second end that include at least a first section and a second section,;

a straight short arm;

a first hinged connection that connects said first end of said long arm to said short arm; and a second hinged connection that connects said first section of said long arm to said second section.

2. The square according to Claim 1, wherein said first hinged connection enables said short arm and said long arm to be selectively positioned between a perpendicular configuration and a parallel stacked configuration.

3. The square according to Claim 2, further including connectors coupled to said short arm and said long arm that interconnect when said long arm and

said short arm are either in said perpendicular configuration or said parallel stacked configuration.

4. The square according to Claim 3, wherein said connectors are magnets.

5. The square according to Claim 1, wherein said second hinged connection enables said first section and said second section of said long arm to be selectively positioned between a continuous linear configuration and a parallel stacked configuration.

6. The square according to Claim 5, further including connectors coupled to said first section and said second section of said long arm that interconnect when said first section and said second section are either in said linear configuration or said parallel stacked configuration.

7. The square according to Claim 6, wherein said connectors are magnets.

8. The square according to Claim 1, further including at least one leveling bubble disposed within said short arm.

9. The square according to Claim 1, further including at least one leveling bubble disposed in said long arm.

10. The square according to Claim 1, wherein said long arm has a length of at least forty-eight inches.

11. A folding square, comprising:

a long arm having two sections jointed together by a hinged joint, wherein said two sections can be selectively rotated about said hinged joint between a linear configuration and a parallel configuration;

a short arm coupled to one end of said long arm with a second hinged joint, wherein said short arm can be selectively rotated about said second hinged joint between an open configuration, where said short arm is perpendicular to said long arm, and a folded configuration, where said short arm lay parallel atop said long arm.

12. The square according to Claim 11, further including magnets disposed on said long arm and said short arm.

13. The square according to Claim 12, wherein at least some of said magnets on said short arm and said long arm magnetically connect when said short arm is in said open configuration, therein biasing said short arm into said open configuration.

14. The square according to Claim 12, wherein at least some of said magnets on said short arm and said long arm magnetically connect when said short arm is in said folded configuration, therein biasing said short arm into said folded configuration.

15. The square according to Claim 12, wherein at least some of said magnets are disposed on said sections of said long arm and magnetically interconnect when said sections are in said linear configuration, therein biasing said sections into said linear configuration.

16. The square according to Claim 12, wherein at least some of said magnets are disposed on said sections of said long arm and magnetically interconnect when said sections are in said linear configuration, therein biasing said sections into said linear configuration.

17. A square, comprising
a plurality of straight sections that are interconnected by hinged connections, wherein said straight sections can be configured into an open configuration, having a long arm and a short arm arranged at a perpendicular, and a folded configuration, where all of said straight sections are stacked atop each other; and
connectors disposed on said straight sections that interconnect said straight sections when said straight sections are in said open configuration and said folded configuration.

18. The square according to Claim 17, wherein said connectors are magnets.

19. The square according to Claim 17, further including at least one leveling bubble disposed within said short arm.